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CITY ANNOUNCEMENTS.

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FOR MAYOR.

We are authorized to announce the name of DR. S. A. BARTER as a candidate for nomination for Mayor of Lima, subject to the decision of the Democracy of this city at their primary election.

FOR CITY SOLICITOR.

We are authorized to announce the name of CHARLES H. ADKINS for City Solicitor, subject to the Democratic primary.

WATER WORKS TRUSTEE.

We are authorized to announce the name of J. C. KARNS as a candidate for Water

Works Trustee, subject to the decision of the Democratic primary election.

FOR CITY CIVIL ENGINEER
We are authorized to announce the name of J. W. CHAPLEY as a candidate for City Civil Engineer, subject to the Democratic primary.

FOR STREET COMMISSIONER.

We are authorized to announce the name of J. W. HARMON as a Democratic candidate for nomination for member of council from the Second ward.

FOR ASSESSEUR.

We are authorized to announce the name of JOHN H. HOFFMAN as a candidate for Assessor in the First ward, Lima, subject to the decision of the Democracy of the ward at their primary.

DEMOCRATIC COUNTY CONVENTION.

The Democracy of Allen county are requested to meet convention at a suitable room of Court House on Tuesday, April 16, 1865, at ten o'clock a.m. for the purpose of nominating candidates for the following county offices: Auditor, Clerk of the Court, Auditor, Recorder, County Commissioner, Inferior Directory and Prosecutor, Attorney.

The representation in the County Convention will be one delegate for every twenty-five voters fraction over thirteen cast for James E. Campbell at the November election in 1865, and the apportionment will be as follows:

Monroe township..... 1
Angelica township, east precinct..... 1
Angelica township, west precinct..... 1
German township..... 1
Jackson township..... 1
Marion township..... 1
Reeds First ward..... 1
Duchess Second ward..... 1
Monroe township..... 1
Lima, First ward, precinct A..... 1
Lima, First ward, precinct B..... 1
Lima, Second ward..... 1
Lima, Third ward, precinct A..... 1
Lima, Fourth ward, precinct A..... 1
Lima, Fourth ward, precinct B..... 1
Lima, Fifth ward, precinct A..... 1
Lima, Sixth ward, precinct B..... 1
Lima, Seventh ward, precinct A..... 1
Lima, Seventh ward, precinct B..... 1
Perry township..... 1
Richland township, Bluffton precinct..... 1
Richland township, Beaver Dam precinct..... 1
Spencer township..... 1
Sugar Creek township..... 1

The basis of representation in the Judicial and Congressional Conventions will be one delegate for each one hundred votes and fraction over fifty cast for James E. Campbell last November. Under this apportionment the representation of Allen county in these conventions will be as follows:

Angelica township, east precinct..... 1
Angelica township, west precinct..... 1
German township..... 1
Jackson township..... 1
Reeds First ward..... 1
Monroe township..... 1
Lima, First ward, precinct A..... 1
Lima, First ward, precinct B..... 1
Lima, Second ward..... 1
Lima, Third ward, precinct A..... 1
Lima, Fourth ward, precinct A..... 1
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Lima, Seventh ward, precinct B..... 1
Perry township..... 1
Richland township, Beaver Dam precinct..... 1
Spencer township..... 1
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The Democratic voters of Allen county are requested to select their delegates to this convention at the time of holding their primary convention for the nomination of township and city offices.

By order of the Democratic Central Committee of Allen county, Ohio.

D. E. BARTER, Chrm.

W. J. O'CONNOR, Secy.

There is a score of able attorneys in Lima who would be willing to undertake the duties of city solicitor, which do not require an average of one day in a week, for an allowance of \$500. Yet the present Republican councilmanic aggregation pay \$1200 out of the taxpayers pockets for the same service, and when a Democratic member offers a resolution to reduce the salary of that official, he is promptly ruled out of order.

The present city administration is the most profigate in the expenditure of the public money that Lima has had for years. Every attempt made at retrenchment by the Democratic members of the city council is thwarted by the Republicans, who are in a large majority and whose pets are beneficiaries of their extravagance. Does anyone doubt that there is an occasional "divvy" between those who provide the fat jobs and those who receive the fat fees?

The fact that one of the persons connected with the paving of Lima's public square has been indicted for alleged crookedness in the building of some public work in Columbus, has made some other people connected with the public square job in Lima have bad dreams. They wonder whether all the real facts connected with that stupiduous job will not eventually come to the public knowledge, and if they do how they will manage to get under cover. There are some very startling truths connected with that job which would make interesting reading for those who enjoy sensational matter, if they should be published.

When Mr. Stone—a reputable taxpayer in South Lima, who wanted to drain his cellar into the Metal street sewer but was prevented from doing so because it fell so far short of the measurement that this Republican council has paid for,—attempted to tell the council that the sewer was away short of the measurement given to it, Engineer Gamble assumed the authority of president of the council and informed Mr. Stone that he was out of order and told him that he

was "wasting through his last," etc. Yet when this same engineer was compelled to go over the work and remeasure it he brought in the information that the sewer actually was twenty-two feet short of what the council had paid for. And it had been paid for in full, including the twenty-two feet not built. This is only a sample of the way the gang composing the majority of the present council wastes the public money.

STREET TALK.

There are no indications of any decided warm weather, and the present cold spell will probably continue several days.

Notwithstanding the report published in the Republican-Gazette to the contrary, the early closing committee yesterday met with very good success and are highly pleased at the outlook.

The many friends of Prof. Clint Richmond, who is now an instructor in the Kokomo, Ind., Conservatory of Music, will be pleased to learn that in a letter to J. E. Porter, Mr. Richmond states he will return to this city in the near future and will locate permanently.

The Calumet Club threw open their elegant quarters in the Metropolitan block to their gentleman friends last evening, the affair being a stag social, which was hugely enjoyed by all until a late hour.

The Calumet boys have had many enjoyable times, but last night's affair stands at the head of the list.

Physicians of Northeastern Indiana and Northwestern Ohio met at Ft. Wayne yesterday and formed the Upper Maumee Valley Medical Association. There was a large attendance. Dr. G. W. McCoskey was elected chairman and Dr. Kent K. Wheelock secretary. A nominating committee was appointed, whose report virtually amounts to an election. The officers are as follows: President, Dr. C. B. Stemen, Ft. Wayne; First Vice President, J. K. Wood, Van Wert, Ohio; Second Vice President, T. P. Williams, Angola, Ind.; Secretary, G. W. McCoskey, Ft. Wayne; Treasurer, M. F. Porter, Ft. Wayne; Censors, Drs. J. T. Gilbert, C. E. Slocum, J. W. Squires, A. P. Buchman, H. A. Weers; chairman of executive committee, K. K. Wheelock, Ft. Wayne. The next meeting will be held the second Tuesday in September, at Wauseon.

The nomination of M. A. Smalley, of Upper Sandusky, as United States Marshal of the Northern District, vice W. C. Haskell, whose term expired Feb. 14th, was yesterday confirmed by the Senate.

Mr. Smalley was chairman of the Democratic State Central Committee during the last campaign.

G. P. Waldorf, formerly a resident of this city, and recent revenue collector at Toledo, has been appointed manager for Northwestern Ohio for the Fidelity Mutual Life Insurance of Philadelphia. He will have nineteen counties under his charge.

Physical Director Roehm, of the Y. M. C. A., leaves to-morrow for the State convention at Mansfield, returning the following Monday.

Classes will be in session as usual, and by the kindness of Mr. P. Barthard, who concluded to take charge of the work, it is assured that everything will be in working order.

To day was ushered in the Lenten season, which is religiously observed by the Catholic, Episcopal and Lutheran churches as a time for fasting and prayer. It is observed in memory of Christ's fast of forty days. The method of determining the opening of Lent is quite complicated. It is sufficient to say that it is always on Ash Wednesday the Wednesday following Shrove Tuesday, and named from the ancient custom of strewing the ashes of the palms used on Palm Sunday, preceding Easter the previous year. It is literally a season of "repentance in sack cloth and ashes." Lent continues for forty days and is followed by the important festivals of Holy Thursday, Good Friday and Easter Sunday.

Before entering upon the season of self-denial it has become customary to indulge in a final festival, and Shrove Tuesday has been the recognized carnival day. On that day free rein is given to the spirit of fun and "everything goes." It is on this day that the carnival can be seen in all its glory, but the Mardi Gras of St. Louis, New Orleans,

is the most famous in the world.

THE SOUTH LIMA PHARMACY.

The popular drug store of Mr. D. Cramer, 692 south Main street, is unexcelled in Lima and South Lima.

Families will find it a very desirable place to buy drugs, toilet articles, cigars and spring medicines at down town prices.

A RELIABLE FIRM.

A. B. Nusgester & Co., 822 south Main street, are conducting a closing out sale of stores, and have many bargains. Get estimates from them for tin and galvanized guttering and tile and slate roofing.

WHERE TO BUY DRY GOODS.

Special mention is made of the excellent stock of J. S. Smith & Son, 707 south Main street. Trade exclusively here and save money, as they have many bargains in blankets, winter goods, shoes and notions.

Leave a trial order this week.

THE CARTWRIGHT'S MARKET.

One of the best places for meats in South Lima is O. T. Cartwright's market, 602 south Main street.

Trade at this market and you will always get the best meats at the right prices. Mr. Cartwright has a model market in every respect.

OIL AND GAS.

Neely Bros. are drilling a well two miles northwest of the Chapman, in German township. It will be in this week.

Fancy Silks.

The Fancy Silks that can be seen at G. E. Blum's this spring would do credit to any large city. We call your attention to this because you can save money as well by buying your Fancy Silks at Blum's this spring.

Even if you do not need any silk it will do your heart good to see the beautiful line shown by him this year.

Notice, X. of P.

Work in Knight Rank to-night.

Members of team are requested to come early. All are urged to be present.

L. H. REEDS, C. C.

WOMAN'S AUXILIARY

Of the Y. M. C. A. Adopt Resolutions in Respect of Miss Ramsey.

The Woman's Auxiliary to the Y. M. C. A. at their meeting yesterday adopted the following:

Whereas, It has pleased our Heavenly Father to take home one of our number,

Resolved, That we, the members

of the auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A., do tender our sincere sympathy and love to the family and friends in this their great bereavement.

"I'd live in hearts we leave behind

Is not to die." It is with sad heart

we contemplate the loss of so faithful a member as Nedwig Ramsey.

Always at her post of duty, always

cheerful and encouraging others, no

work too great to be undertaken for

the cause of God and man, who can

estimate the effect of the influence

and example of such a life.

She has finished her work a little

before the rest of us, and if she could

speak to day this might well be her

message to us:

A sacred burden is this life to bear;

Look on it, life, bear it calmly;

Stand up and walk勇敢地; it steadfastly;

Put not sorrow nor fear for;

Put upward, upward, till the goal ye win.

Mrs. S. S. WHEELER,

Mrs. G. S. VUCAR,

Committee on Resolutions.

LIMA Y. M. C. A. DELEGATES

Who will Represent the Association at the State Convention.

The delegates who are to represent the Lima Young Men's Christian Association at the convention of all the associations of the State, which is to be held at Mansfield Feb. 20-23

inclusive, will leave at 7:45 o'clock to-morrow morning over the P. F. W. & O.

There are some who will not be able to go until Friday, but all will return Monday morning. Those who expect to go are:

F. W. Holmes, T. P. Longsworth,

E. G. Borges, L. B. Kirk, H. W.

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HAND MASHED.

Switchman Elmer Green, of the L. E. & W. Injured Last Night.

was served. At 8 o'clock the guests departed wishing him many more such birthdays. He received some handsome presents.

ONCE WHEN WAS THERE.

Elmer Green, a switchman employed in the L. E. & W. night yards, had his left hand badly mashed while the act of making a coupling on the opposite track last night. The switch engine, 43, was being handled by a foreman named Smith when the accident occurred. Green attempted to couple onto a Janney coupler and his hand was caught and the thumb and first finger were mashed and the second finger broken. His thumb came off with the thumb nail glove and was found in the yards by some other switchmen.

MESS GOODS

In every effect can now be had in great variety. Linings free this week.

TREATS,

6-6-6-2-6-2 No. 209 N. Main.

A Pleasant Time.

The Junior Endeavor Society of the German Reformed church enjoyed very pleasant time at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Stauber, of 734 East North street, it being their son's tenth birthday anniversary. The evening was spent in playing games after which a hearty supper

was served. At 8 o'clock the guests departed wishing him many more such birthdays. He received some handsome presents.

ONCE WHEN WAS THERE.

Shall We Mind Our Own Business?

Just after the Venezuelan message

the eagle put in most of its time screaming. The function of thinking was not in evidence until some

what later. We planned sending

our 25,600 soldiers up to Canada and taking London with our white squad

ron of a few ships. We threw com

mon sense overboard. Why all this?

Because of the Monroe doctrine?

What is that? Few stopped to en

quire. We have plenty of time to

think it over now. The debate next

week will bring out the truth of the

matter.

Seats on sale at Downard's book

store.

It

Have You Seen

The Black Dress Goods at Bluem's.

Ladies wishing to see a nice line of

Black Dress Goods ought to go to

Bluem's this week.

At a Big Discount this

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FOR CITY TAXES TRUSTEE.

We are authorized to announce the name of P. W. JOHNSON as a candidate for Street Commissioner, subject to the Democratic city primary convention.

FOR CITY CLERK.

We are authorized to announce the name of J. W. HARRISON as a Democratic candidate for nomination for member of council from the Second Ward.

ASSISTANT.

We are authorized to announce the name of A. L. COOPER as a candidate for Assessor in the First Ward, and Auditor in the Second Ward, at their primary.

DEMOCRATIC COUNTY CONVENTION.

The Democratic county convention is to be held in the Auditorium of the Hotel New Haven on the 11th instant, at 7 P.M. The following officers are to be elected:

Chairman of the County Convention, Dr. J. W. McFEELEY; Vice-Chairman, Dr. J. W. McFEELEY; Auditor, Auditor, County Convention, Dr. J. W. McFEELEY; Secretary and Treasurer, Dr. J. W. McFEELEY.

The election of delegates to the County Convention will be as follows: Twenty-five votes from each of the following towns: Fremont, 10; Wauseon, 10; Sylvania, 10; and the upper and lower parts of the county, 10 each.

Branch township chairmen: Wauseon, Dr. A. G. Stemen; Fremont, Dr. J. W. McFEELEY; Sylvania, Dr. J. W. McFEELEY; and the upper and lower parts of the county, Dr. J. W. McFEELEY.

Advisory township chairmen: Wauseon, Dr. J. W. McFEELEY; Fremont, Dr. J. W. McFEELEY; Sylvania, Dr. J. W. McFEELEY; and the upper and lower parts of the county, Dr. J. W. McFEELEY.

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NOTICE.

As we have obtained possession of the lease of the old Postoffice Corner, we wish to notify our patrons and the public generally, through our

By Order of the U. S. Government,

that on Feb. 26th we shall remove from our present quarters to the corner lately occupied by the postoffice, which is now being remodeled for the reception of our new class drug-store.

We also wish to express our thanks to the Government for moving us with our constantly growing business, and large stock we are much cramped in our present quarters. Our new and spacious quarters enable us to still further increase our stock, and on opening day we shall have on display a fine line of new toilet goods which will captivate the eye.

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and he came over to day and took the children back with him.

The Woman's Club of Lima, will attend in a body the debate between the Lima Philosophical Society and Ada Normal University.

Mrs Jacob Spyker entertained the Sagamore Club in a delightful manner, at her home on west Wayne street, on last Monday evening.

Married

At 221 west Kirby street, Feb. 17, by Rev. John Bates, Mr. Carey O'Dell and Miss Minnie A. Ruthlen, both of Lima.

Spring Dress

The exceptional nice line of Spring Dress Goods shown by G. E. Bluem this year has made quite a stir in these departments.

The Discount Sale now going on at Treat's 6 State St.

Everybody invited to the opening of the Riding School in Music Hall to-morrow night. Music by the Mandolin Club. Everything free. Concert commences at 8:30. Come and enjoy the fun.

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At One Time was Murderer Laughlin, of Kentucky.

Robert Laughlin, the wife murderer of Agnes Bracken county, Ky., was at one time a resident of Marion. He was a railroad fireman and was employed on the C. & E. with Engineer Lucky O'Brien, now a freight engineer.

He is well remembered among roundhouse employees. John W. Elserscads, a resident of Windsor street and for eleven years foreman at the roundhouse, says he remembers the man well. He was at that time a young, robust fellow, always full of life and good humor.

He was a hard worker and bounded about a west Marion boarding house.

The city papers of to day contain the confession of Laughlin of the double murder he committed last Saturday. He was employed for more than a year on the Erie, but hasn't been seen by the employees of that road for eight or nine years —

CRITCHFIELD HERE

Policeman Watts Returned from Loudenville With His Prisoner

Policeman Watts returned from Loudenville early this morning with his prisoner, R. B. Critchfield, who was arrested in this city yesterday, being wanted here on a charge of having embezzled \$14 belonging to the Western & Southern Life Insurance Co.

Critchfield was locked up in the city prison and will not be arraigned before the mayor until to-morrow morning as that personage is absent in Columbus.

PLATE'S TEAM

Leads in the Y. M. C. A. Basket Ball Contest

Last evening three games of were played. Teams B and F, captains Coss and Hughes, opened up the series, score 6 to 4 in favor of B.

The next game was by teams C and I, captains Faurot and Churchill, score 3 to 2 in favor of C.

The third game was played by E and H, captains Plate and McKinney, score 6 to 2 in favor of E.

Captain Plate's team is honored with the highest percentage.

STANDING OF TEAM:

Team	Captains	Percent
A	Morris	62%
B	Coss	55%
C	Faurot	65%
D	Rhodes	68%
E	Plate	60%
F	Hughes	61%
G	McDonald	50%
H	McKinney	66%
I	Churchill	62%
J	Giltz	59%

The basket ball committee takes complete charge of games played, and chairman Cunningham can give information desired concerning them, etc.

The third and last contest takes place March 3d. The gold medal will then be awarded to the individual holding the most number of points.

Bicycle Riding School

The Bicycle Riding School, which is so popular in the larger cities, has been a long felt want in Lima and the enterprise displayed by F. E. Homan in opening such a school in Music Hall is deserving of creditable mention. The school will be given a formal, free opening to-morrow night and everybody is invited to attend and witness the specialties. Music will be furnished by the Manhattan Club and Mr. Homan will furnish bicycles for the ladies, gentlemen, girls and boys all to take a spin around the spacious hall. The floor will be prepared for cycling and no one need fear taking a fall. After to-morrow night, riding lessons will be taught on the afternoons of those days or at any other time that the hall may not be occupied for other purposes. Everybody should attend to-morrow night and witness the special attractions. Remember it is free.

Don't Forget the Concert and supper Thursday evening, February 28th, given by Canton Orion No 24, in Odd Fellows' Temple, corner of Main and Wayne streets. All Odd Fellows and their friends are cordially invited. Admission 25c, children, 10c. By order of

A. WARNER,
S. J. LOREN,
H. VAN GUNSTEN
Committee

Grace Church Revival continues to grow in interest and power, and there were a number of happy conversions last night.

This is one of the old fashioned Methodist revivals where souls are born into the kingdom with glad shouts of Hallelujah.

All Chevaliers Of Canton Orion No 24, will please be at the hall Thursday night in full fatigues uniform.

A. WARNER, Lieutenant

All ladies who are interested in cycling should attend the opening of the Riding School to-morrow night.

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Spelling at No 10

At a spelling school recently held at Dist. No. 10, Jackson township, twenty words were spelled on paper with the following results:

Connie Boyd, Wm. Herr, I. B. Beechy, 100 per cent, Dale Ransbottom, Lulu Watt, E. E. McElwain, Hulda Herr, T. W. Desenberg, M. S. McWayne, 95 John Watt, Mary Dryer, 85 Frank Smith, 75, Ann Murray, Pearl Hall, Milford Smith, Delma Ransbottom, Gurley Ransbottom, 75.

W. H. Herr carried off the honors in oral spelling.

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